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For	:	DETECTION OF NUCLEIC ACID	)	
		SEQUENCE DIFFERENCES USING THE	)	
		LIGASE DETECTION REACTION WITH	)	
		ADDRESSABLE ARRAYS	)	

**RESPONSE TO NOTICE OF NON-COMPLIANT AMENDMENT**

**Mail Stop: Amendment**  
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Dear Sir:

In response to the July 29, 2004, Notice of Non-Compliant Amendment,  
please amend the above-identified patent application as follows:

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of  
this paper.

**Remarks** begin on page 8 of this paper.